



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re U.S. Patent Application of:)	
James D. LEWIS, Jr. et al.)	
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Application No.: 10/779,993)	Examiner: Jila Mohandesi
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Filed: February 17, 2004)	Group Art Unit: 3728
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For: ALBUMIN IN A FLEXIBLE)	
POLYMERIC CONTAINER)	

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 21, 2005

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

<p align="center">CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING 37 C.F.R. § 1.10</p> <p>I certify that the attached correspondence was deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date indicated for delivery via Express Mail-Post Office to Addressee to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</p> <p>Date <u>7-14-05</u> Signature <u>Lissette M. [Signature]</u></p>	
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This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed January 21, 2005, for which the three-month period for response expired on April 21, 2005. Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time, to and including July 21, 2005 to respond to the Office Action. Applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the extension fee of \$1020.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) and any other fees required for consideration of this response to Deposit Account No. 02-1440, Order No. CPHT-5755/D1.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the referenced application, including all pending claims, in light of the following amendments and remarks.